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REPLY AND AMENDMENT

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Dear Commissioner:

In reply to the Office Action dated January 8, 2007, wherein this Reply is timely filed within the three month shortened statutory period for reply, please consider the following remarks and amendments.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.